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SUBJECT: SEPTEMBER VISIT TO ROME

DURING PRIME MINISTER ANDREOTTI'S VISIT TO WASHINGTON  
JULY 26-27, SECRETARY VANCE DISCUSSED WITH FOREIGN MIN-  
ISTER FORLANI THE POSSIBILITY OF A SHORT STOPOVER IN ROME  
FOLLOWING THE CONCLUSION OF THE SECRETARY'S MEETINGS IN  
VIENNA SEPTEMBER 5-9. THE SECRETARY WILL BE LEAVING  
VIENNA LATER AFTERNOON OR EARLY EVENING ON SEPTEMBER 9  
AND COULD FLY INTO ROME TO SPEND THE NIGHT. THE NEXT DAY,  
SEPTEMBER 10, HE COULD HAVE A PROGRAM OF MEETINGS IN THE  
MORNING FOLLOWED BY A LUNCHEON. THE SECRETARY WOULD PRE-  
FER TO BE ABLE TO DEPART FOR WASHINGTON FROM ROME THAT  
SAME AFTERNOON. YOU SHOULD EXPLORE WITH THE ITALIANS THE  
ACCEPTABILITY OF A SHORT VISIT BY THE SECRETARY AS OUT-  
LINED ABOVE. WE WILL DISCUSS WITH SARROS THE POSSIBILITY  
OF A VATICAN CALL. PLEASE REPORT ITALIAN REACTIONS TO  
THE DEPARTMENT WITH INFO SECRETARY (THROUGH AUGUST 13).  
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